



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
GALVESTON DISTRICT, CORPS OF ENGINEERS  
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REPLY TO  
ATTENTION OF:

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MEMORANDUM FOR ALL SWG EMPLOYEES AND OTHER ELIGIBLE FISHERMEN

SUBJECT: Fort Point Reservation Fishing Policy

1. POLICY: Effective with the date of this memorandum, the following rules and regulations, which are subject to revision by the District Engineer without prior notice, have been established for the subject facility.
2. CORPS OF ENGINEERS FISHING PASS. Persons who hold a current identification card issued by the Army Corps of Engineers or members of the military, active, reserve and retired, holding a current identification card are eligible to fish at Fort Point. Galveston District retirees may obtain a current identification card after contacting building security at 409-766-3899, identifying themselves as a Corps of Engineers retiree and requesting an identification card for the purpose of fishing at Fort Point.
3. HOW ARE FISHING PASSES OBTAINED. A fishing pass may be obtained after presenting qualifying identification and signing a liability release. Employees should call 409-766-3977 or send an e-mail message requesting a fishing pass to Sandra Morrison. All other individuals meeting eligibility requirements should call 409-766-3977, or visit workstation 269D in the Jadwin Building between 0800 and 1130, Monday thru Thursday, Federal Holidays excluded. No fishing pass will be issued, nor will fishing be allowed until a release is signed.
4. GUESTS. No guests are permitted.
5. RESTRICTIONS: The following restrictions are necessary to minimize interference with ongoing Corps operations involving personnel, plant, and equipment and to maximize security and safe operations at this facility.
  - a. No fishing is permitted from sunset to sunrise.
  - b. Fishing is not permitted from the hopper dredge dock.
  - c. Fishermen will park in the shell/gravel parking lot. **No other parking areas are authorized.**
  - d. Fishermen are responsible for policing paper, debris, dead bait or fish, or other trash. Paper and cans should be placed in waste containers available at the site.
  - e. The use of alcohol and drugs is prohibited.
  - f. Eligible fishermen must fish in accordance with Texas State Law.
6. Fishing is the only recreational activity authorized at Fort Point and may only be conducted in areas designated by the District Engineer. Individuals failing to fully comply with the above restrictions risk losing their fishing pass.
7. This policy supersedes the fishing policy memorandum dated 17 Oct 2000 and is subject to revision by the District Engineer without prior notice.
8. Any questions relative to this matter should be directed to the Chief, Project Operations Branch, at (409) 766-6313.

  
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